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## Intimations.

### NOTICE

I BEG to give Public Notice that I decline to be any longer responsible for any DEBTS incurred by my Wife or my Children.

JOHN CARROLL.

Hongkong, August 31, 1901. 1817

GREAT EASTERN AND CALEDONIAN GOLD MINING CO., LTD.

### (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given that a First and Final DIVIDEND of 24 cents per Share will be paid to the Shareholders on the 15th September, 1901, at the office of the Liquidator, M. DENNECKE, at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, Hongkong, on or before the 15th September, 1901, at 4 p.m. Payment of the above Dividend will be made.

M. DENNECKE, Liquidator.

Hongkong, August 23, 1901. 1757

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB, KOWLOON.

### ANNUAL AQUATIC SPORTS.

TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1901, Commencing at 4 p.m.

THE Committee request the pleasure of the Company of the Ladies of Hongkong in the company of the LATH HOUSE, KOWLOON, on SATURDAY, the 7th Instant, on the occasion of the ANNUAL AQUATIC SPORTS. Admission for Non-Members, 50 Cents; Ladies, 25 Cents; and Children Half price. Hongkong, September 6, 1901. 1831

### HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Hongkong Cricket Club will be held in the Cricket Club Pavilion, on MONDAY, the 3rd September, at 5.15 p.m.

P. A. COX, Honorary Secretary.

Hongkong, August 28, 1901. 1789

GREAT EASTERN & CALEDONIAN GOLD MINING CO., LTD. IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Co.'s Office, No. 11, Des Voeux Road, on MONDAY, the 3rd of Sept., at 12.15 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and of having any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also of determining by EXTRAORDINARY RESOLUTION the manner in which the Balance, accounts, books and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

THE LIQUIDATOR, M. DENNECKE.

Hongkong, August 29, 1901. 1802

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in a STATEMENT of Business contributed during the Half-Year ended 30th June, 1901, on or before the 1st September, on which date the Accounts will be CLOSED.

By Order of the Board of Directors, THOS. I. ROSE, Secretary.

Hongkong, August 22, 1901. 1744

CANTON DISTRICT.

### LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 29.

Discontinuance of High Island Barrier Lights.

NOTICE is hereby given that, HIGH ISLAND BARRIERS having been REMOVED, the Red and Green Lights now indicating the passage through the Barrier will be discontinued on the 15th Instant, and in their stead a Green Light will be exhibited from a Beacon on the NORTHERN POINT of HIGH ISLAND.

The Beacon is a quadrangular open work structure of wood, 10 feet high, painted white. The distance from the Beacon to low water mark is 30 feet, and its base is 4 feet above high water mark.

L. A. BYWORTH, Harbour Master.

Approved, F. A. MORGAN, Commissioner of Customs.

Custom House, Canton, September 1, 1901. 1832

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By applying to  
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**Auctions.**  
PUBLIC AUCTION.  
THE Undersigned have received instructions  
to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION,  
FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CO-SIGNERS,  
ON  
SATURDAY,  
the 7th September, at Noon, at their Sales  
Rooms, 100, House Street,  
10,670 BISCUITS (slightly damaged),  
And  
150 SMALL GALVANIZED IRON  
BREAD TANKS.  
TERMS:—As usual.  
HUGHES & HOUGH,  
Auctioneers.  
Hongkong, September 4, 1901. 1843

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PUBLIC AUCTION.  
THE Undersigned have received instructions  
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Mountain View, The Peak,  
THE WHOLE OF HIS  
VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD  
FURNITURE,  
Comprising:—  
TAPESTRY-COVERED MARBLED MADE  
DRAWING ROOM SUITE; CARVED  
BLACKWOOD; OVERSTATED; CHAIRS;  
HARDWOOD; BRASS STANDARD LAMP; CAR-  
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PENCIL HOLDER; PICTURES; VASES; PING-  
PONG; HAND PAINTED DESERT SERVICE;  
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IN SIGHT OF THE MATTER-  
HORN.

**Impressions.**  
I spent between two and three weeks  
last year in sight of the Matterhorn—  
that grim mountain whose sinister  
record has been increased within the  
last few days. Perhaps it would be as  
well that I should give my impressions,  
as so many of my countrymen at this  
moment are asking themselves what  
part of the earth they should choose  
for their annual outing and recreation.  
ZERMATT THE UNTAMED.

The hotel to go to if you want to be  
near the Matterhorn is the Riffel Alp.  
The Riffel Alp stands just above Zermatt.  
Zermatt, you are always told in the guide-  
books, is the beginning and the portal  
of the real Switzerland—the first stage  
in its innermost mysteries. And,  
certainly, Zermatt and its surrounding  
regions are very different from the usual  
parts of Switzerland that the hurried  
tourist sees. Lucerne is the portal to  
that wondrous lake and to the lovely  
mountains by which it is surrounded,  
and there you can catch a sight of some  
of the most sombre and impressive  
scenery in Switzerland; but at the  
same time, the small town itself, with  
its trim gardens, with its soft, smooth  
lake, gives a dominating note of peace  
of civilization, of the foot and hand of  
man. In Zermatt you leave much of  
all this behind. Zermatt is a tiny little  
village—just enfolded in the tight and  
dark embrace of a number of lofty  
mountains. People up there have a good  
deal of the appearance of being out of  
the ordinary world.

Long before you reach the Riffel Alp,  
you have caught sight of the Matterhorn.  
You may see the Matterhorn without  
at once realizing that it is that grim  
monster itself. For the name of the  
Matterhorn never occurs in the French  
guide-book you read, nor in the signs of  
the hotels you find in Zermatt. Mount  
Cervin is the French name, and you see  
that name everywhere, including the  
Mont Cervin Hotel. Now Mont Cervin  
is so far from Matterhorn in sound and  
appearance that you may fail to realize  
that the two names mean the same  
thing.

It is not, I say, in the least like what  
you expect. It is called a mountain,  
and yet—somehow or other—I never  
could think of it as a mountain. I im-  
agine a huge tooth of stone—appalling,  
gigantic—and you get an idea of what  
the Matterhorn is like. In the distance  
it looks just a huge, ugly, irregular  
Titanic obelisk of stone—a weirdly ex-  
aggerated rock rather than an ordinary  
mountain.

It is climbed nearly every day, and  
one of the amusements of the Riffel  
Alp Hotel is to watch the people as  
they climb, through a big telescope  
which stands on the veranda of the  
hotel. Old mountaineers talk of it with  
a certain degree of easy contempt—as an  
exploit which has ceased to astound.  
These mountaineers are a weird and  
peculiar race; they speak of their  
pursuit as of a calling, the beauty, hol-  
liness and glory of which puts everything  
else in the world in the shade. Mount-  
aineering seems, indeed, to be not so  
much a pursuit or a recreation as a reli-  
gion. You find men and women in  
these regions who come out to Switzer-  
land every year with something of the  
same feeling as you may imagine in the  
pious Mussulman who visits the tomb  
of the Prophet at Mecca. Women some-  
times are among the most ardent of  
these mountaineers. Last year I saw a  
small party setting out on some expedi-  
tion, and a lady was among them; she  
had brought along with her, not only  
her husband, but a tiny little boy of  
some four or five years old. She ap-  
parently thought it a sacred duty to  
indoctrinate her child in the sacred  
mysteries of mountain climbing at the  
earliest moment.

Truth compels me to say that a lady  
does not look very brave when she is  
in mountaineering costume. Her pet-  
ticoats have to be short; her face gets  
sunburnt out of all recognition and not  
of all beauty; and above all, she has to  
wear boots which would make the feet  
of Diana look huge and ugly. The  
mountaineering boot, indeed, is a thing  
of itself. It is necessary even to those  
who haven't the least idea of going on  
any mountaineering expeditions. For  
it is difficult to climb even a mild glacier  
with safety and comfort without some  
such boot. The boot must have in its  
sole a peculiar kind of nail—broad-  
topped, flat, rough; for it is with this

THE MOUNTAIN DOG.  
The second most delicate machine in the  
world is one in the physics laboratory of the  
Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore. With  
its diamond point this machine can rule from  
15,000 to 125,000 lines to the square inch, and  
is used as an aid in dividing up a ray of sun-  
light into its component parts. So delicate is  
the machine that the least of a human body will  
throw it out of gear.  
The first most intricate and delicate piece of  
mechanism in the world is the complete set of  
it can carry a heavy weight, and yet a few tiny  
grains might cause it to break down. It con-  
tains every muscle in the world, and all that  
wonderful grey and white substance that is  
known as brain.  
It encompasses your existence from the day  
when first, moving in the water's arms, you  
enter life to our last proximate instant breath.  
The stomach, says Huxley of this machine,  
"makes gastric juice, the liver bile, and the  
brain thought." The brain works in response to  
the senses of hearing, sight, smell, taste, and  
touch. A well-ordered, well-nourished brain  
will respond in a way that will best serve the  
individual's interests.  
The stomach receives food, digests it, and  
makes blood; the brain receives impressions,  
digests them, and makes thought. An ex-  
hausted, worn-out, or diseased stomach cannot make  
good blood, neither can an exhausted, worn-out,  
or diseased brain make good thought.  
The continued digestive has a worn-out di-  
gestive machine that is unable to make good  
blood, and, therefore, an exhausted brain that  
cannot think and a body that is a physical  
wreck. He can't work.  
But his case is not hopeless while he has the  
wonder to pay for a bottle of Segal's. Let us  
quote an example.  
"Four or five years ago I had a dangerous  
attack of rheumatic fever, which left me in a  
very feeble state, and I was unable to do any  
work, it is true, but nervous debility and indig-  
estion set in and I was in their very worst  
form."  
"The pain in my chest and back after eating  
was such that, after a meal, I was not able to  
look at anything solid, and eventually my ap-  
petite completely vanished."  
"Once or twice, from sheer necessity, I tried  
to swallow a little meat, but the way it pushed  
me soon made me give up of my own accord. I got  
no sleep that night, and the tortures I suffered  
defy description."  
"In addition to the trouble in the chest and  
back I had a sharp shooting pain in the side of  
my stomach. It was so severe that I could  
hardly draw my breath, and I got that nervous  
and timid that I was positively frightened to be  
left alone. Often I got up with my husband be-  
tween five and six in the morning, afraid to stay  
in bed by myself, and to be left alone in the  
house I would almost drive me mad."  
"This story of a desperate digestion is told  
by Mrs. Helen M. Segal, of New York, Sheffield,  
and dated November 30th, 1900."  
"In this terrible state one of my married  
daughters found me. She had come on a visit,  
and seeing me look so very ill, said, 'Why  
don't you try my mother's Segal's? I could  
not sleep that night, and the tortures I suffered  
defy description.'  
"I had often read of the wonderful cures in  
the papers, but I never struck me that it might  
do me good. I resolved to try it and I got a  
bottle."  
"The effect it had upon me was magical. A  
young fellow who had lived with us said he had  
never seen such a change in his life, and he  
was right. I took about a dozen bottles in all,  
but long before the tenth bottle the pain in  
my side and chest had gone, and I could eat  
as well as ever. Life and energy soon returned  
to me, and a load was lifted off my chest."  
"I am getting on in years now, and in the  
Spring and fall of the year I suffer somewhat  
with the old enemy rheumatism, but Segal's  
Symp never fails to set me right, and I would  
not be without it for anything you could give me."  
"I have tried other remedies, but none have  
succeeded. I have no objection to your publishing  
this letter, because if it were not for Segal's I  
should be today in my grave or in an asylum."  
Yours truly (Mrs.) H. M. SEGAL.  
I should be glad to hear of your stomachs, are  
like so much soap, it is only for Carlyle's  
rabbish lies."  
"No man can fight the battle of life with de-  
fective digestive machinery. No woman can  
keep her house and rear her children and be  
driven crazy by a ringing in the ears, back-  
ache, headache, rheumatism, neuralgia, and the  
thousand and one complaints brought on by  
Spring climate effects on the bodily organism."  
When the system gets clogged up, or runs  
down like a two-and-sixpenny watch, then you  
are on the way to the great Sign of Charles's  
scrap-heap.  
Doctor it in time. Segal's is a Spring tonic  
and reviver; it stimulates digestion, and is an  
oil bath to a clogged mechanism.  
The Road to Success, and to everything  
worth living for, lies in a healthy, clear brain,  
and an internally cleansed and invigorated sys-  
tem."

THE KING'S COLOURS.  
Although the King's colours have been  
seen





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### THE ROYAL VISITORS AT MAURITIUS.

We have received (says the *Times of Ceylon*) the following account of the Royal visit to Mauritius, written by a lady to her relations in Ceylon:—

We have had all the excitement of the Royal visit since I last wrote. I enjoyed it very much. The Royal party arrived, as you must have already heard, on Sunday, the 11th, in the afternoon, in glorious weather. It was only on Monday at three o'clock they landed in a crowd, I believe a most enthusiastic crowd. The Mauritians have fallen in love with the Duke and Duchess, and one hears nothing but praise and admiration, and indeed it would be hard to find fault with them. They are so simple and charming. I am so glad I saw them here, because among the grandees of Ceylon I had no chance! M—came home, declaring she had fallen in love of the Duchess. On Monday evening we all went to Reduit, (Queen's House). It was just like a drawing-room, strings of carriages, policemen and soldiers all over the place, and Reduit a blaze of electric light. The reception was held in the big drawing-room. The Prince and Princess stood at the top, and all the suite and people who dined there were on the raised platform. The Princess is really very pretty when you see her quite near, and she was literally covered with diamonds. They had a smile for every one, and shook hands with everybody, just fancy! I was rather disappointed, as I had been practising my court bows, when the Duke put out his hand. I almost lost my head as I was not prepared for it. It was rather fun afterwards watching every one else coming up. There is a mischievous twinkle in the Princess's eye, and now and again she was rather amused at what was going on. The Duke looks terribly worn out and delicate, and she so healthy and strong. After the ceremony the Governor presented again a few of the notabilities of the island, so that my father and mother had their share of attention. They are so flattered and pleased about it; it is quite a

pleasure to see how they appreciate it. The first evening they spoke to their Royal Highnesses for quite 20 minutes. Lord Wentworth asked if he might have the privilege of introducing me to them, and was just going to do so when the Duchess determined to say good night and leave the room.

There was a magnificent supper-room, a salle verte. I never saw anything so beautifully decorated. The ceiling was a thick dome of ferns and roses. The tables were lovely and the supper good. We all gambled about the dry champagne, which is not appreciated here. The champagne they have received from France for the Royal guests cost R75 a bottle! Lucky dogs, as K—would say. My father had his share of attention that evening, as everybody was congratulating him for being made C.M.G. I wore my lovely white frock, and they all said I looked charming, which I suppose you have no difficulty in believing.

My father and mother dined at Reduit on Wednesday and came back to be charmed. My mother sat on the Duke's right hand, and literally fell in love with him. She says he is the essence of politeness and good breeding, and talks so well. They talked literature and history all the time, and I am sure no one here could talk on that subject better than my mother. She knows all about the crowned heads of Europe and their families so well. The Duke told her many anecdotes about the late Dowager Empress of Germany, etc., etc. When dessert was placed on the table he took out the bouquet of flowers from his finger bowl, dried it carefully with his serviette, smelt it, and offered it to my mother! and paid her some compliment, telling her how he had enjoyed her society. When she came into the drawing-room the Duchess walked up to her and told her how pleased she had been to see that the Duke had enjoyed the dinner so much and had talked so much, saying that as a rule ladies found it hard to get him to talk much.

That same day the Prince of Teck and the A.D.C. went to the station to meet my father, and presented him with an invitation from the Duke and Duchess

to go to lunch on the 'Opium'. They were charmed with the lunch, and the day spent in Royal company. They visited the royal apartments, August 9th, 1901.

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2.45 p.m.—Competition of Cup and

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ciation.

4 p.m.—Aquatic Sports.

General Memoranda.

Monday, September 9.

5.15 p.m.—Meeting of Hongkong Cricket

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Tuesday, September 10.

Notice by Contributing Shareholders of

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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1901.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

The public will welcome

the opening statement

made by Dr J. M. At-

kinson at yesterday's

meeting of the Sanitary

Board. Like him, we consider the

Principal Civil Medical Officer should

always be the President of the Sanitary

Board, if that eminently unsatisfactory

representative in its membership. After

the unseemly recriminations and obtuse

official opposition to public de-

mands it is refreshing to read a state-

ment like Dr Atkinson's, and we can

only express the hope, as a mouthpiece

of the public, that his plan of campaign

will not only be carried out in its en-

tirety but that it will be efficacious in

its results. As he says, the peculiar

geographical position of Hongkong, the

daily movement in the native popu-

lation, and the nature of the population

make the carrying out of pre-

fective medical measures a matter of the

greatest difficulty before a disease has

shown itself in epidemic form; but it is

at least possible, as Dr Atkinson recog-

nises, to adopt measures which may

prevent a severe outbreak of a disease

like plague or to check it in its course.

These measures may appear to some as

exceptionally drastic, but—Desperate

diseases require desperate cures. If

the principles of general sanitation laid

down by Dr Atkinson are carried out

thoroughly there is reason to hope that

should plague, unfortunately, visit the

Colony next spring, the severity of the

epidemic may be mitigated; while if it

should prove necessary to go beyond

these the European section of the com-

munity will probably be unanimous

in approving the proposals made by the

doctor at the close of his speech. In

any case, it should be a fixed principle

of the Sanitary Board, in future epidemics,

to create all plague bodies placed surrepti-

tiously in the streets. We would go be-

yond this and advocate that all plague

bodies be cremated, unless it can be proved

that plague germs cannot live and

divide in the soil after burial. In

evidently, it may be pointed out that

Dr Atkinson suggests some questions

raised by his Excellency the Governor

a short time ago. Dr Atkinson says

"All scientists are agreed that it

(plague) is a fifth disease, fostered by

distillation, overcrowding and lack of

ventilation, its specific cause being a

bacillus which probably lives in the soil

and attacks lower animals." Having

said this, we expect Dr Atkinson to

give his support to all reasonable

proposals for the relief of over-

crowding in the Colony and passing of

legislation to prevent the raising of the

height of houses in the narrow streets

and lanes of this badly constructed city.

In conclusion, we would simply reiterate

our belief that Dr Atkinson's statement

of his plan of campaign will give much

satisfaction to the general community,

and we may congratulate the doctor on

his implied declaration that he means

to lead the Government along sane and

business-like lines. We hope he will be

successful.

Civic Malapropisms.

Civic speeches are often a perfect forcing-

ground of malapropisms. Few examples,

perhaps, are much better than this tradi-

tional flight of a bygone mayor of Oxford.

"When I gaze upon the spontaneous dome

of the Radcliffe and the basilisk in Blon-

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Hongkong.

It is interesting to note that the latest

bridge span in the world is the 'Kaiser

Wilhelm,' near Meissen, in Germany, which

carries a double track railway across the

Wupper, 350ft. above the level of the stream.

It has a clear span of 650ft. The two longest

span are the 1,710ft. cantilevers of the

Famous North Bridge. The new East River

Bridge at New York, now nearly finished,

is undoubtedly the latest triumph in bridge

building. It has six railway tracks, foot-

walks, two bicycle paths, in addition to a

wide roadway, and will be the widest bridge

in the world.

With reference to the  
agitation set on foot by  
the Navy League regard-

ing the untrainedness of the

Mediterranean fleet and

other shortcomings of the Admiralty

which are subject of considerable com-

ment in Home journals, it must be

admitted, we think, that the Navy

League has put forward a very strong

case; and, so far, the answer of the

Government has been confession and

promises of amendment. In no single

case has the First Lord of the Admir-

alty succeeded in refuting the statement

of facts put forward. The course fol-

lowed by the Navy League was render-

ed necessary by the statement of Lord

Salisbury on the 19th of May, 1900,

when he said "The defence of the coun-

try is not the business of the War

Office or of the Government but the

business of the people themselves;" and

in the face of this statement no fault

can be found with any body of citizens

who agitate for the reform of known

and admitted evils. Most people who

have studied the finances of the Goschen

administration are of opinion that the

time has come to end the connection

between politics and the Navy. Ap-

parently Parliament cares not a jot

about the Navy, for it allowed a 'block-

ing' motion to be put on the notice

paper which has blocked the discussion

on the whole Naval question so much

desired by those who know where the

weak points are to be found. 'Articles

have appeared in the *National Review*, the*Contemporary Review*, and other

periodicals, but they all appear to go

upon the legal maxim, 'With a poor

case, pitch into your opponent's Coat-

armour,' and contain little more than

assertion as to our own strength and

that of the Franco-Russian combination.

We cannot ignore the known opinions

of our own fighting admirals, while

giving every credit to Lord Selborne,

Mr Arnold Forster, and the present

Admiralty officials for good intentions

and patriotism; but the Navy is 'subor-

dinated to party politics, and it is the

First Lord and the Treasury who settle

the Naval programme, not the men who

know." So, once more the country is

face to face with doubt and uncertainty,

where everything should be certain be-

yond dispute. If more money is

required for the Navy, and the British

people are told so and the reason why,

there need be no doubt as to the an-

swer, for if we are to remain an Empire

our Navy must be kept up to the high

mark of perfection.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way.

Boxing display in the City Hall to-

morrow night.

H.M.S. *Island* was to leave Singapore

for Sydney on the 1st or 2nd inst.

There was one death from plague

(Chinese) during the past twenty-four

hours.

H.M.S. *Rossini* is going on a voyage

to the Coos Islands, where the new cable

station is being established.

It is reported that the Hon. Mr W. T.

Taylor will not leave Colombo to take up

his new appointments Colonial Secretary

of the Straits Settlements till the end of

November.

Music at Hongkong Hotel.

By kind permission of Lieut.-Col.

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Bombay Infantry will play at the Hong-

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Selection.....The Duke of York.

Barn Dance.....The Boston Belle, Godfrey.

Polka.....See Me Dance, Solomon.

"God Save The King."

The Uses of Water.

A very original essay on water is quoted

by a contemporary. One or two of the

writer's ideas upon the subject are strik-

ingly novel. For instance, he divides all

water into four sub-headings—min water, soda

water, holy water, and brine. "Water," he

continues, "is used for a good many things."

Sailors use water to go to sea on. "Water is

a very good thing to fire at boys with a

squir gun, and to catch fishes in." But

the strangest of all uses for water is this:



## TELEGRAMS.

## SOUTH AFRICA.

**Boers order the Shooting of Colonials after September 15.**  
London, 4th September, 1901.  
The Boer leaders in Cape Colony have ordered that all Colonials captured in arms, after the 15th September, be shot.

## GERMANY AND PRINCE CHUN'S MISSION.

A semi-official statement explains that it would be impossible for Germany to insist upon China begging forgiveness, as, by so doing it would imply that the Chinese Government had abetted the murder of the German Minister, Baron von Ketteler.

## THE ARREST OF KRAUSE.

The indictment against Krause, arrested in London on a charge of high treason, in a route to England.

Nobody is aware of the exact nature of the charge.

The mails of certain suspects have been stopped, and important correspondence seized.

## GERMAN EMPEROR RECEIVES PRINCE CHUN.

Prince Chun was received by the German Emperor, who remained seated on his throne. His Majesty beckoned Prince Chun to approach, and the latter, bowing thrice, then handed to His Majesty a letter of regret from the Emperor of China. The Kaiser, in a stern speech, replied that he was willing to admit that the Emperor of China held aloof from the crimes that had been committed, but the guilt of his advisers was all the greater. He warned Prince Chun that the Chinese Government could not obtain pardon by a mere explanatory mission, but by its future attitude and conformity with the prescriptions of international law and civilization.

Prince Chun, on retiring from the imperial presence, again bowed thrice.

## FRANCE AND RUSSIA.

Count Lamsdorff, the Russian Minister for Foreign Affairs, will accompany the Czar to France.

## FRANCE AND TURKEY.

M. Constans has stated in an interview that the conflict with Turkey will soon be settled. There was no fear of war. He also denied the rumour that several of the other Foreign Ambassadors in Constantinople had contributed to the rupture between France and Turkey.

## THE CAMPHOR INDUSTRY IN JAPAN.

As before reported, the camphor industry in Japan has largely developed since camphor business in Formosa was monopolized by the Government, and this development (says the *Kobe Chronicle*) has seriously affected the camphor business in the island.

The camphor industry began to develop in Japan from about 1893 or 1894. Before then the article was very largely exported from Japan, the amount exported some 6,000,000 catties yearly. The article has been chiefly produced in Toosan and Satsuma, and the *Doa* method was adopted in Formosa. The camphor industry in Japan for a while experienced a depression, in consequence of the irregular cutting of the trees and the development of the industry in Formosa, and the output of the article in Japan fell to not more than 500,000 catties until the year before last. During the war between Japan and China a camphor trust was started in London, and subsequently the camphor monopoly was established at Formosa. This led to a rise in the market, and the article, which was then quoted at about yen 70, rose to yen 74 or yen 75. The result has been that all trees standing in the gardens of private residences, in temple grounds and in forests in the Government reserve have been cut down, and the activity of the camphor industry has been restored. In Toosan, the principal camphor district in the Empire, the camphor trees appear to be nearly almost exhausted, but a great number of trees are still left in the forests in Ehime-ken, where last year about 200,000 catties were produced. In Kagoshima and Fukuoka-ken and Okinawa (Luchus), many forests in the Government reserve have been sold, and the camphor trees have been cut down.

It is now estimated that in Kagoshima and Fukuoka-ken 6,000,000 catties have been produced, and 200,000 more catties obtained from the camphor oil. Thus the total output of camphor in the Empire from May to December last year is estimated at some 1,300,000 catties, and it is expected that the output this year will reach 2,000,000. The *Tachibana* forest in Fukuoka-ken and the *Yakushima* forest in Okinawa are now the only two noteworthy camphor forests in Japan, so that if no stop is put to the cutting of the trees the camphor industry will, for the present at any rate, receive a check. The rise in the camphor market, however, has greatly encouraged the planting of camphor trees. At Matsuyama, Iwano, planting is going on, and also throughout Munro-gun, Kishu, and numerous smaller camphor forests are being made in Hyogo, Omi and Saitama. The camphor tree takes ten years to come to perfection.

\*GRANDPA, said Tommy, looking critically at his grandpa's hair, "may I ask you a question?" "Certainly, Tommy." "Do you comb your hair with a razor, grandpa?"

AUSTIN: "Well, and where have you been this afternoon, May?" "May (who has been to the Natural History Museum): "Oh, we've had a lovely time, Auntie. We've been to the stuffed birds."

## THE RECENT PLAGUE EPIDEMIC.

## Thanks to Workers.

At the meeting of the Sanitary Board yesterday, a report by the Medical Officer of Health on an epidemic plague for the half year ending June 30th, 1901, was laid on the table.

Dr. Atkinson (the President)—This report was considered at the last confidential meeting of the Board, and amended. I move that it be adopted and forwarded to the Hon. Colonial Secretary for the information of H. E. the Governor.

Mr. W. Chatham seconded, and the motion was agreed to.

Dr. Atkinson—With reference to this report, I move that the special thanks of the Board be conveyed to Inspector Reid for the excellent services rendered by him during the recent outbreak of plague. I might mention that when at home on leave he took the opportunity of inspecting all recent improvements in England with reference to the disinfection of infected premises, more especially during the epidemic in Glasgow. I move also that the Board thank the following officers—Inspectors Rogers, C. W. Brett, Fincher, Knight, and Police Inspector Robertson—for the way in which they have performed their duties.

Mr. Chatham—I have much pleasure in seconding the proposal, and in doing so I just wish to say that if the Government could see its way to allow of some more substantial recognition than the mere tendering of thanks by the Board, I shall be very pleased to support anything of that nature.

The proposal was carried unanimously.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

## A NUISANCE.

To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL."  
Hongkong, Sept. 6.  
Sir,—In view of the serious epidemic of plague, malarial fever, etc., etc., which the Colony has been suffering, might I suggest that the authorities concerned investigate the state of the forebush in front of Messrs Fenwick's premises. This morning at 10 a.m. the stench rising from the forebush was so strong, and so something indecentible. There is a congregation of small craft moored off the Praya wall time out of mind, and their refuse and the drain outlets are doubtless responsible for the awful smell; but if something is not done there is more tribulation in store for this sore-trying insular city. — Yours,

## POSTULATE.

## KOWLOON WATER SUPPLY.

To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL."  
Hongkong, Sept. 6.

Sir,—It is extremely gratifying to all residents in Kowloon to know that the Government Analyst has analysed a sample of water taken from the 'Kowloon series,' and that he found it of excellent quality. Will the Government analyst tell the Kowloon residents where he got the sample? We should all like to know. At my house for some weeks the supply has been so intermittent that it might well be said, after an absence for several mornings now, to be non-existent. Water has to be carried from neighbouring districts, sometimes begged for or stolen from those who are fortunate enough to have natural wells. Notwithstanding this, I will be told at the end of the month that the consumption of water per head at Kowloon is from 9 to 12 gallons per day, and I will be charged for excess supply. Truly, as you said some time ago, this is a most Gilbertian Colony! — Yours,

## KOWLOONITE.

## Indemnity Claims.

The Crown Advocate, Mr. H. P. Wilkinson, is steadily plugging through the claims for compensation in Peking. Reports reach us (writes a correspondent to the *N. C. Daily News*) of the consistent fairness and courtesy with which the claimants are treated by him, but at the same time the principles laid down by the Ministry seem in some cases to be grossly unfair. I have it on the best authority that nothing is allowed for a wound beyond the doctor's bill. This seems on the face of it iniquitous, and in no wise defensible, because of the difficulty in appraising wounds differing in degree of pain, duration and permanent effect. Juries at home have constantly to adjudge on such matters. It would be interesting to know what Mr. Wilkinson's instructions are in case of the loss of an eye, leg, or arm, or say nothing of the sequelae of nervous prostration, resulting, as in many cases it has, in diminished capacity. A gentleman who greatly distinguished himself in the Siege and who has placed us all under deep obligation by his dramatic presentation of that terrible experience, claimed one thousand guineas for a serious wound. It is nothing but rank injustice that such a claim should be ruled out. We expect the Advocate in Tientsin in September. May Heaven endow him with wisdom and grace in dealing with the Tientsin claims; they involve mighty issues, and are full of cruces which might well try the judicial acumen of a Kept, a Marshall, or a Mansfield. It is an open secret that our merchants are to be represented by counsel.

## CAME NEAR BEING A CRIPPLE.

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**Hon. Secretary.**—Mr. W. H. Potts.

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**Handicapper.**—Mr. F. W. White and Mr. M. McEwen.

**First Day.** Thursday, September 5.

The annual aquatic sports of the Victoria Recreation Club opened at the Club's enclosure, Kowloon, yesterday afternoon, in glorious weather. There was a very large turnout of spectators, who followed the contests with the keenest interest. Opening with the half-mile championship of the Colony, for which a handsome cup was presented by the Hon. J. J. Bell-Irving, the events were kept well up to time, a fact upon which the officials deserve to be congratulated. This race brought out eleven competitors, most of whom found the current out in the open harbor, a trifling disadvantage. The three brothers Alves were the first to get round the mark, closely attended by J. M. Rosa Pereira, and A. A. Alves, whose physique and training stood him in good stead towards the close of the race, eventually won an interesting race. The best race of the day was the Four Lengths Scratch Race for representatives of the navy, army and police. There were so many entrants this year that it was necessary to send the men off in two heats. Sgt. Major Wiseman, of the Royal Army Medical Corps, who won the first heat in the excellent time of 1 min. 48.25 sec., was won the final heat for a punishing finish, Private Roberts, R.W.F., who finished second to him in his heat, again coming in second. The tide was against long plunging, which accounts for the apparent falling off in this event. Some close work marked the heats in the Members' Two Lengths Handicap, and between the four competitors left in there should be a most exciting final on Saturday. The following are details of the events:—

## HALF-MILE CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE COLONY.

Open to all-comers. 1st prize presented by Hon. J. J. Bell-Irving. 2nd prize presented.

The following started:—E. W. Carpenter, A. J. Mackie, F. K. Tate, A. Humphreys, J. M. Rosa Pereira, M. A. Razak, A. E. S. Alves, A. A. Alves, W. Milley, 38 Co. R.A., S. I. Moore, N. H. Alves.

A. Alves ..... 1

N. H. Alves ..... 2

J. M. Rosa Pereira ..... 3

Time 1 min. 16 sec. This was a very interesting race. There was a strong tide running out, and this some of the competitors found very trying. The three placed men drew away from the others after the tide had turned, and the winner, having gauged the tide better, took a better start, and for a punishing finish, A. A. Alves got the judge's award by a couple of lengths.

## TWO LENGTHS (HANDICAP). Open to 14 Competitors over 35 years of age. 1st and 2nd prize presented.

The following started:—A. M. Rosa Pereira, 39 sec., M. McEwen, 38 sec., A. M. Rosa Pereira, 38 sec., M. McEwen, 38 sec., A. M. Rosa Pereira, 38 sec., M. McEwen, 38 sec.

A. M. Rosa Pereira, 38 sec. This was an easy win.

## FOUR LENGTHS (HANDICAP). Open to 14 Competitors over 35 years of age. 1st and 2nd prize presented.

The following started:—Fred. E. Ellis, F. D. Bain, A. J. Mackie, H. A. Lammet, A. Humphreys, N. H. Alves, A. E. S. Alves.

F. D. Bain, 20 sec. .... 1

N. H. Alves, 20 sec. .... 2

Time 2 min. 20 sec.

From the outset it was evident that the backwaters were rather heavily handicapped, and they gave up at the turn in the third length. N. H. Alves got the lead at the third turn, but Bain, who had not been out, before kept him in hand and ultimately won by a yard.

## FOUR LENGTHS (ARMY, NAVY, AND POLICE).

The following competed:—A. J. Mackie, H. G. Hawking, H. A. H.M.S. Dido, A. E. Gay, writer, H.M.S. Dido; Sgt. Major A. G. Wiseman, R.A.M.C.; Bandsman R. Gregory, R.W.F.; Private W. Roberts, J. Collins, R.W.F.; Bandsman Andrews, W. Milley, 38th Co., R.A.; R. Snellgrove, 38th Co., E.D.; J. Crabb, H.M.S. Zetland.

**FIRST HEAT.**

Sergeant Major A. J. Wiseman ..... 1

Private W. Roberts ..... 2

Time 4 min. 40 sec.

**SECOND HEAT.**

R. Snellgrove ..... 1

J. Crabb ..... 2

Time 1 min. 52 sec.

**FINAL HEAT.**

Sgt. Major A. J. Wiseman ..... 1

Private W. Roberts ..... 2

Time 4 min. 48 sec. Won by about half a length. The final was very exciting, but Wiseman, who swam with a powerful stroke, kept the lead most of the way.

Two LENGTHS (HANDICAP). Two Prizes Presented. First in each Heat to Swim in the Final.

**FIRST HEAT.**

A. J. Ribeiro, Fred. E. Ellis, J. M. Rosa Pereira, N. H. Alves, Frank Jorge.

N. H. Alves, 2 sec. .... 1

Time 1 min. 40 sec.

**SECOND HEAT.**

E. W. Carpenter, F. J. V. Jorge Jr., R. Miller, H. A. Lammet, A. Humphreys.

H. A. Lammet, 1 sec. .... 1

Time 1 min. 40 sec.

**THIRD HEAT.**

A. J. Mackie, A. M. S. Soares, F. D. Bain, G. E. H. Hanco, A. E. S. Alves.

A. E. S. Alves, 2 sec. .... 1

Time 1 min. 40 sec.

**FOURTH HEAT.**

S. R. Moore, M. A. Razak, F. K. Tate, C. M. S. Alves, F. M. Rosa Pereira, A. A. Alves.

C. M. S. Alves, 8 sec. .... 1

Time not taken.

## THE RUSSIANS IN THE LIAOYANG.

## LIAOYANG.

Some few weeks ago it was announced in two of the Russian papers that it was the intention of the Russian Government to return Port Arthur and the adjoining territory to China. Like many Press rumours, this one, which found its way into our local papers, was unfounded. Judging by events, Russia has no more intention of giving up her newly-acquired possessions—for possession they really are—in the Liaoting Peninsula than she ever had. The new Russian city called Dalny, i.e., Faraway, or the Distant City (distant enough in all truth from St. Petersburg), is being pushed forward as rapidly as possible, and there is every indication that, notwithstanding the Russian move and Russian origin, it will specially develop into a great trade emporium.

On the 26th of July (Sunday), the new harbour of Dalny was formally opened by the Russian Commandant, Chief, Admiral Alexeeff, in the presence of distinguished guests of naval, military, and clerical dignitaries as ever took place in Asia, and the first steamer, the *Nakhodina* (Clyde-built), was moored at the new pier, and was announced to take up a regular run between Dalny, Port Arthur, and Chefoo, and it is expected that as soon as Nakhodina begins her regular service, the Railway Company will give preferential tariff to goods from the north, to induce them to come right down to Dalny, instead of shipping at Newchwang. This will more than suit the steamer companies, as their vessels will be able to run along the pier where five or six steamers can load at one time, goods come without pilots, have no trouble with sand bars or other obstructions, and at the same time be fully protected from tempestuous weather, which so retards the progress of working cargo on their voyage, and is a drawback which is almost completely eliminated. The town of Dalny is most delightful, and in general appearance, as one approaches from the sea, is not unlike Kobe, with the long shore, the well-built houses, and the numerous boats, and the streets run at right angles, and are wide and well-shaded with large trees. From a newly-built reservoir on the hills behind the town, a most plentiful supply of excellent fresh water will always be available, and the overflow of this water system will run straight, via the main sewer, into the sea, thus continually flushing it clean. A handsome Russian church has been erected, and sites at the most moderate rentals will be granted to other bodies on application, as soon as sufficient adherents of any particular faith desire a special church building. It is promised that there will be no interference with the commercial community by the military or other Government departments, and it would appear as if the Russians intended to keep this promise, as the Government Departments, with the exception of the Post Office and the Fire Brigade Stations, are all placed by themselves on a separate little peninsula, at the West end of the town. There is a commodious club close to the pier, and the lines run alongside the shore and skirt the town, and the numerous side lines are laid down for the carriage of merchandise to godowns on the outskirts, and two miles away there is a large space set aside for the storage of petroleum oil, and another location for coal.

Altogether, Dalny promises to be a very fine place, and a valuable and important one to the future of the Russian Empire. It is thought that when the Trans-Siberian Line is in working order, the mails to and from Europe will come that way, and be despatched by the steamers from Dalny to Shanghai, Hongkong, Japan, etc., and there is some talk of granting a subsidy to run special mail steamers between Dalny and some port in Northern Australia, to cover the distance in about ten days.

The place is well worth a visit, if merely to see a rapidly growing city, or to be prepared like an Expedition, for the reception of those who wish accommodation before it is opened. When it is opened it will be found that there is everything that can be found in cities of many years' standing, and more than that, in many places which have been built for long time, such as electric light, telephones, and tramways. There is an elegant and commodious hotel, where superior accommodation can be obtained at moderate rates. Yes, the place is well seeing, and both tourists and merchants would find a visit well repaid. — N. C. Daily News.

## Tug-of-War at Singapore.

The final pull between 12th Co., the previous holders, and the 35th Co. for the Warren Tug-of-War Shield was brought off before a large number of spectators at Fort Canoning, Singapore, on the 29th August, when the 12th Co. B. A. once more proved themselves invincible. The first pull was fairly evenly contested, the 35th managing to hold their own for about a minute or so. But there was, notwithstanding, a very superior force of the 12th, who once getting their opponents on the move, in their good old regimental style, slowly but surely pulled them across the line. After an interval of about fifteen minutes the teams again fell into their places for the second pull, and the 12th, who had taken the 35th by a very shabby fight for it, but all their efforts availed them nothing against their splendidly trained opponents, who by their characteristic 'rolling turn,' pulled the 35th Co. over the line without much difficulty. Both were good pulling, the 12th lasting about four minutes and the 35th over three. Major Hanham kindly presented the Shield to the winning team, who have been the holders for the last four years, and as they will in all probability be leaving Singapore shortly they will carry with them the honour of having been the holders, when stationed there, says the *Singapore Free Press*. The teams were as follows:—

12th Co. R. A. 35th Co. R. A.

Sgt. Croucher Sgt. Hitchcock

Or. Cotter Or. Groves

Br. Green Br. Gougham

Gr. Aspey Gr. Rayson

Gr. Sullivan Gr. Fortune

Gr. King Gr. Duly

Gr. Murphy Gr. Pickford

Gr. Wolfenden Gr. Dowling

Gr. Matthews Gr. Logan

Gr. Gully Gr. Smith

Coch. Coch.

Sgt. Atwill Opt. Taylor.

## CRICKET.

This match was played at the Happy Valley yesterday, and resulted in a win for the Artillery by 61 runs. The Artillery had first lease of a good wicket, but batted in a bad light. Gunner Smith and Corporal Letten, who got into double figures, both batted well. Corporal Sharp had four wickets for 25 runs. The innings was declared at 5.30 p.m., and the Fallers had to bat in a very bad light. The finish was rather exciting. At the fall of the eighth wicket, it was agreed to have two more overs. The ninth wicket fell to the fourth ball of the first over, and the last wicket in the last over, Private Smith running himself out from a hit off the second ball. Gunner Smith secured six wickets for 21 and Corporal Letten three for 20. Scores:—

ARTILLERY.

Br. Cooper, c Gould, b Sharp ..... 5

Sgt. Mullis, c Sharp, b Gould ..... 4

Mr. Lewis, b Gould ..... 9

Mr. McDonald, b Sharp ..... 0

Col. Letten, c Denury, b Smith ..... 17

Gr. Smith, b Sharp ..... 27

Gr. Jackson, c Phillips, b Quirk ..... 11

Gr. Parsons, c Denury, b Sharp ..... 1

Gr. Durance, run out ..... 8

Gr. Spooner, not out ..... 7

Gr. Johnson, not out ..... 8

Extras ..... 9

Total ..... 106

FUTILLERS.

Phillips, b Smith ..... 10

Denury, c b Smith ..... 0

Sharp, b Letten ..... 17

Gould, b Smith ..... 12

Durand, b Letten ..... 2

Denury, not out, Cooper, b Smith ..... 0

Benan, b Letten ..... 0

Jones, not out ..... 0

Day, b Smith ..... 0

Smith, run out ..... 0

Extras ..... 4

Total ..... 45

## REVIEWS.

LEAGUES OF THE RHINE. By H. A. Guer-

ber. 3rd Edition. pp. xviii and 350, with 40 illustrations *hors texte*. Cloth, decorated cover, gilt top, and rough edges. New York: A. S. Barnes and Co., Hongkong: Kelly and Walsh. Price \$3.50.

We are indebted to the courtesy of Messrs Kelly and Walsh for this book. It is a surprisingly complete collection of legends that, in some respects, might well vie with the immortal Hans Andersen. An fairy tales, with a moral, they are excellent, quite apart from their priceless value to intelligent (think, tourists, whose aesthetic pleasure would be greatly enhanced by a knowledge of the story that imparts romance to uncharismatic scenery. The book, necessarily, is a compilation from many sources, and countless German authorities have been advantageously consulted. The book begins with, however, the sunken city, on the Dutch shores of the North Sea; and in strictly chronological sequence, we are taken a delightful pilgrimage up the island and coasted waters of the Netherlands, till we reach Gouda, on the St. Gervais mountain in Switzerland, a distance of close on eight hundred miles. The two-score illustrations, on specially toned paper, are an undoubted aid to the text. To all who have been to the Rhine, to those who intend to take such a trip, as well as to all patriotic Germans, this book should be equally acceptable.

MAISON'S REMINISCENCES, AND OTHER SKETCHES. By Martha S. Gidow, of Alabama. New York: A. S. Barnes and Co., 1898. Hongkong: Kelly and Walsh. Price \$2.75.

This sumptuous garner of eleven lifelike character sketches, written in the dialect of the Southern States, when read, leave a feeling of tender regard for the Mauney and Duddy, of olden days; and by their truth will go no considerable way to obliterate the false notions made so prevalent by ordinary negro minstrel caricature. They will, in this manner, realise the accomplished authors' intention. Mrs. Gidow is an educationist with a great and established reputation in the States, and these touching stories are part of her extensive repository. They illustrate the conditions of Southern life, prior to the prolonged struggle between North and South. Would that Chinese authors were a little as loyal and honourable as the typical Mauney here shown as 'Paw Eastern family life, for the average European, would then be robbed of nine-tenths of its terrors. The plantation lullaby, both words and music, is simple and unaffected, and should be an instant favourite with all who care for genuine negro minstrelsy. The fourteen undeniably clever illustrations, by Clara Weaver Parrish, are in the spirit of the letters. Our thanks are due to Messrs. Kelly and Walsh for this book.

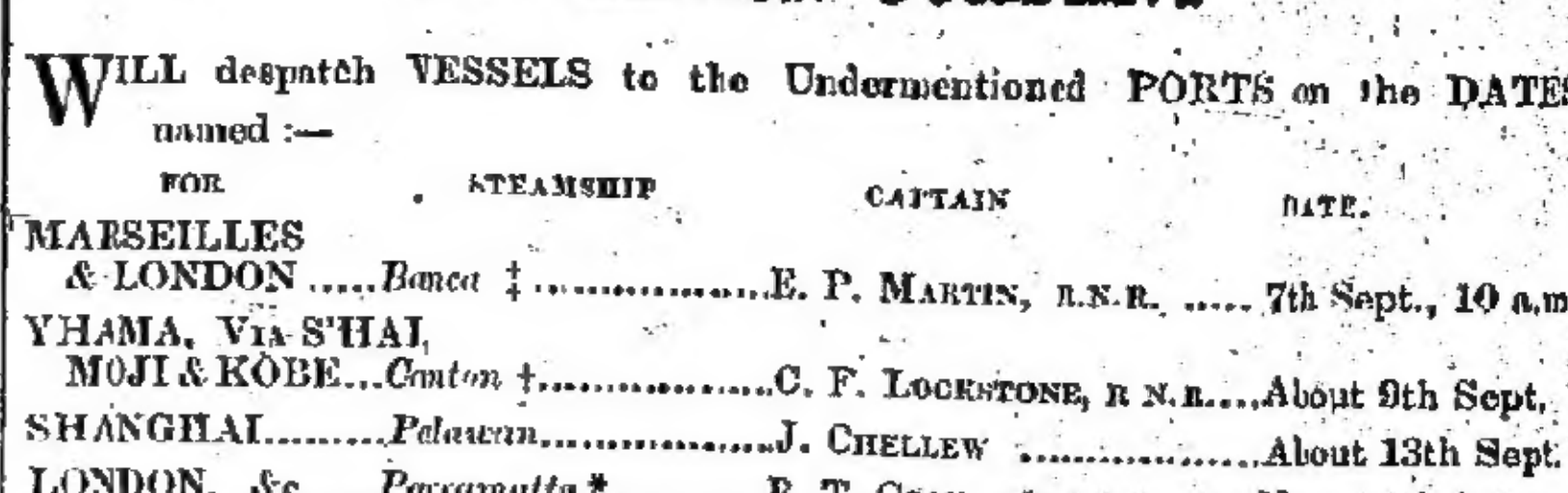
Loss of Appetite.

A friend was complaining to me the other day (writes 'F.A.G.' in the *Kobe Chronicle*) about his appetite being affected by the hot weather, so I got him on to the subject of breakfast and asked him whether he was able to eat anything at all when he got up. Of course everyone knows that the man who finds himself unable to eat any breakfast is commonly one who devotes himself in the evening to allaying an insatiable thirst. (I will be conceding enough to admit that there are exceptions.) In this case my friend went over what he had for breakfast. An omelette, two boiled eggs, a piece of cold chicken, a little ham, a ripe apple, a few plums, some grapes, two cups of tea, and some slices of bread and butter to fill up the blank spaces. I was silent, but could not help reflecting as to what his capacity must be when his appetite was good.



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C. Farman, Boyd & Co. Ltd.	53,700	Tls.	100	Tls. 245, buyers
STEAMBOATS, TUGS, ETC.				
Wing and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd.	8,000	\$	50	50 662, sellers
Swire Steamship Co., Limited	14,000	\$	50	50 60, sellers
K. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ltd.	20,000	\$	50	all 844, buyers
De-China S. N. Company, Limited	80,000	\$	15	15 844, buyers
China Mutual S. N. Co.	20,000	\$	10	all 836
Do. (new issue)	20,000	\$	10	2 121
Maritime Company, Ltd.	20,000	\$	10	2 121
Tranquil & Trading Co., Ltd.	10,000	\$	10	12 124, by'n, 804, by'n
Winghai Tug Boat Co., Ltd.	1,000	Tls.	100	Tls. 330, buyers
Winghai Tug and Lighter Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tls.	50	Tls. 140, buyers
Winghai Cargo Boat Co., Ltd.	2,000	Tls.	100	Tls. 127, sellers
Winghai-operative Cargo Boat Co., Ltd.	1,000	Tls.	100	Tls. 127, & div., sale
SUGAR COMPANIES.				
Winghai Sugar Company, Limited	20,000	\$	100	all 836
Hongkong Sugar Company, Limited	7,000	\$	100	all 830, sellers
Winghai Sugar Cultivation Co., Ltd.	7,000	Tls.	50	Tls. 77½
WHARVES.				
K. & Kow, Wai & Godown Co.	30,000	\$	50	all 897½, buyers
Winghai Warehouse and Storage Co., Limited	2,600	\$	100	37 Nom.
Winghai and Hongkong Wharf Co.	15,100	Tls.	100	Tls. 205, buyers
LAND AND BUILDING.				
Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited	50,000	\$	100	100 131, sales
Winghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	20,000	Tls.	50	Tls. 50, buyers
Winghai Land and Building Co.	6,000	\$	5	30 30½, buyers

**LAUNBERG**, British barque, Capt. J. C. McDougall.—A. G. Morris.

Do. Du. 4 p.m.	77
Do. Maximum	84
Do. Minimum overlight	81

The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. *Carinthia* left  
Singapore for this port on Thursday  
afternoon, the 6th Sept.

100, H. M. S. Isis.  
Cassopolitan.—Coptic.  
Aberdeen.—Loyal.

in the China coast, and in the N. part of  
the China Sea. Forecast:—light NE  
winds; fair.

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